

CAE 9.7 Admin Client Installation

From the MMRS website, <http://www.dfa.ms.gov/dfa-offices/mmrs/mmrs-software-licensesdownloads-application-security/>, click on MERLIN – Cognos Software Downloads, and then on the CAE 9.7 application you require.

Save the zip file to a location on your local hard drive you have write access.

After the download is complete, navigate to the folder where you saved the zip file download, and double click the file DB2_DSClient_97_Win_x86 to unzip the files. Select a folder to store these extracted installation files.

From the folder you extracted the files to, click on the CAE 9,7 Admin Client 32bit folder to open it.

Double click on the Client folder to open it.

Double click on the Image folder to open it.

Double click on on the Setup.exe file.

DB2 Setup Launchpad should now be the open window.

Click on Install a Product

Click Install New under the IBM Data Server Client Version 9.7 section in the right hand pane of the window

Click Next

Click Accept, for the Software License Agreement page opens in DB2 Setup

Click next

Select the Typical and click next

Select the last option, the Install IBM Data Server Client on this computer and save my settings in a response file

Click next

Leave the default directory for the installation folder, and click next

Leave the default DB2 copy name in the DB2 copy name input box, as well as the check mark setting that file as the default DB2 copy on your computer.

Click next

Uncheck Enable operating system security

Click Next

Click Finish (files will start to copy)

Setup is complete

Click Next

Click finish

CONFIGURATION FILE PLACEMENT:

Copy configuration file to the root of C:

Navigate to the CAE 9.7 Admin Client 32bit folder

Copy the 32bit file merlincfg to the root of the C: drive

Once that file has been placed at the root of C: click the Start button

Click in search box and type cmd, and press enter

A window will appear Type

cd\

Type db2cfimp merlincfg (runs about 1 second), and will return you to the DOS prompt at the C:

Type exit and hit enter

- If there is no configuration file in the folder created to unzip the installation files, one may be obtained from the MMRS website at http://www.dfa.ms.gov/downloads/CAE_Config_files.zip. Download this file, extract it, and follow the instructions above, allowing for the location of the config file download.

ODBC Install:

Open Control Panel

Open Administrative Tools

Double click on Data Sources (ODBC)

Click on the System DSN tab

Click the Add button

Locate the IBM DB2 ODBC DRIVER – DB2COPY1 file and click Finish

In the Data Source Name field, enter MERLIN and click OK

Highlight MERLIN from the list, and click Configure

In the User ID field enter your Cognos user ID which the MAGIC Security staff provided to you

In the Password field your Cognos password which the MAGIC Security staff provided to you

Click Connect

- If a window opens saying “Connection tested successfully”, CAE is installed correctly, please proceed to installing COGNOS
- If a window opens with any errors, anything other than a successful connection, please email the MMRS Network staff at Network1@dfa.ms.gov. We will need to troubleshoot the issue, COGNOS won’t run until this error is resolved.